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ANNUAL PRICE LIST

SMALL FREE PLANTS

1888

STRAWBERRY PLANTS A SPECIALTY

1933

5,000,000 STRAWBERRY PLANTS

GREETINGS, 1933

We are hoping that 1933 will be an improvement over the year of 1932. Certainly will not need to improve very much to be better. We had the largest and best supply of plants in the spring of 1932 we ever grew, but the trade was light. Over most sections of 1932 it was dry. Too dry to grow many strawberry plants. Everywhere comes the information that the plant crop is very short. Also the prospects for a big strawberry crop of 1933 is poor because of the shortage of plants. With us the dry weather affected the plant fields somewhat during the month of August. Later on we had plenty of rain and while our supply of plants is not as large as 1932. on we had plenty of rain and while our supply of plants is not as large as 1932 yet we have a good supply of very fine plants.

We feel sure that this is a good time to plant all kinds of small fruits in anticipation of at least getting a fair profit. We believe now, and have always believed, that small fruit growing is one of the best occupations for a man with a limited capital. At the present time the government is seeking ways to help the farmer. They are not helping the small fruit grower. If they do help the farmer the small fruit grower will get his share indirectly.

Anyway the small fruit grower has plenty of fresh fruit during the fruiting season. If he is thrifty he will have plenty of fruit in the cellar in the winter for consumption. We know from the sale of plants that the planting of all kinds of small fruits has been at a low ebb for several years past. We feel sure it will take several years to get to the normal amount of planting. We are a little different from most catalog houses. We grow all plants we offer for sale and do our best to see our customers are supplied with the best. Satisfaction always guaranteed.

F. W. DIXON, Holton, Kansas. Phone 314X On Highway 75.

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If you would eat strawberries, you must grow them. The best plants at low prices.

HOW TO GROW STRAWBERRIES

We do not have room in this price list to tell you much about how to grow strawberries. However, if there are any particular questions to ask, we will answer them if we can. Any good soil will grow strawberries and really should be plowed in the fall and harrowed down early in the spring. The better soil you have the better crops you will have. The planting process is simple. We use a machine but you can use a spade or dibble. Be sure you firm the plant well in the soil. Do not plant too deep or too shallow. We plant in rows three and one-half feet apart and eighteen inches apart in the row. Some varieties do not make runners so freely and we plant them closer in the row. Cultivate as often as they need it. Always keep down the weeds.

We use a machine for digging strawberry plants which guarantees plenty of good roots. On small orders we label every bunch. On large orders we put a partition between the varieties so the plants will not get mixed. This year we have a good supply of plants at the lowest price that is possible to grow them. Everyone should plant strawberries this year.

DESCRIPTION OF VARIETIES

We have grown strawberries in Jackson County for more than fifty years. We have tested about every variety that was ever known in all that time. In former years we have had more than a hundred varieties growing on our farm. In late years we keep down the number of varieties and discard any variety just as soon as it shows any weakness. Of course there are some varieties that succeed somewhere else where they do not succeed with us and there is always a demand for them.

The strawberry fruiting season in 1932 was a good one. We had a lot of very nice berries.

Almost all varieties did fairly well.

All varieties marked (Per) have perfect bloom and will bear alone. Those marked (Imp)

are imperfect and must have some perfect blooming planted along side.

AROMA (Per)—This is still the standard late berry. As a late shipping berry it is the

AROMA (Per)—This is still the standard late berry. As a late shipping berry it is the best. The berry is very large. Plant and foliage is healthy and plant is a fairly good grower. However, the plant shows a little weakness in transplanting.

BEAVER (Per)—We fruited this new variety for the first time last spring. Claimed to be better than Dunlap. The berry is firmer and carries very much better. The berry has one fault. It ripens on one side. It will ripen perfectly on one side and white on the other side. The berry is a little longer than Dunlap and about the same size. Plant growth is perfect. No one will be much disappointed if they plant Beaver.

BELLMAR (Per)—We have not fruited this variety. The plant growth is good with us. It was originated by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. Berries are large and a rich red. We think it will any anyone to test it.

think it will pay anyone to test it.

DR. BURRILL (Per)—As far as we can see it is exactly the same as Dunlap.

BLAKEMORE (Per)—This is another creation of the Dept. of Agriculture. this variety for three or four seasons. We believe it is the best early berry in existence. It can be classed as an all season berry. The first berry to ripen in the spring is Blakemore and you will have berries on Blakemore until the last of Aroma is gone. That is the way it you will have berries on Blakemore until the last of Aroma is gone. That is the way it behaved with us. When the berries first ripen they are a bright red color and as it ripens on the vines they get darker as they ripen but they do not get soft or spoil like other berries. The longer they remain on the vine the better flavor they get. It has proven to be the best carrier we have, even better than Aroma. The berry will not average as large as Aroma. The plant growth is perfect. The main trouble is it makes too many runners. It will always be popular with nurserymen. It is easily transplanted and always sure to get a good stand. It is the nearest perfect strawberry we have grown that I have ever known. We know everyone is going to plant some Blakemore this year. We have a fairly good supply of good plants.

COOPER (Per)—This is a large berry and very productive and a good plant maker. A very good berry in some places

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DUNLAP (Per)—This has been the standard berry for several years. is the berries are too soft. The berry is large and good flavor. Also the best home berry that has been produced up to the Blakemore. If you want plenty of berries, plant Dunlap.

DELICIOUS (Per)—As the name indicates it is a good quality berry. The plant is a good

grower and very prolific. Berry is as large as Dunlap.

GANDY (Per)—As an old standby it is one of the best late varieties. The berry is very large and plant produces better in old fields than young fields. The berries run smaller late in the season. The plant is a healthy and vigorous grower. The berry is firm enough for any ordinary market.

GOLD MINE (Per)—It is a late variety that does well in some places but only moderately

successful with us.

HOWARD 17 (Per)—As far as we can see it is exactly the same as Premier.

KLONDYKE (Per)—This is a standard berry in the south. The plant growth is fairly good with us. The foliage is healthy but not very prolific with us. The berry is firm and a good shipper, therefore, it will be popular in the south for a long while. Also a good berry in California.

PREMIER (Per)—Up to date this is the largest early berry. It is very early. The berry is very large and uniform and of good color and very popular wherever grown. The main fault is it does not make plants freely. The price of plants must necessarily be higher than other varieties. The plant is very large and probably twice as large as most other varieties. It is

a wonderful market berry but our forecast is the Blakemore will take its place in most cases.

PEARL (Per)—Very similar to Gandy. We think it is a little more productive. The plant growth and berry is about the same as Gandy.

WORLD WONDER (Per)—It is a fairly good berry, productive and very large berry but has some faults. The plant growth is good. Might succeed better on some soils than on ours.

WASHINGTON (Per)—This has been heralded as the best flavored berry in existence.

The plant growth is very good with us and is fairly prolific. We did not recognize any outstanding qualities in the berry. However, it is good enough quality and worth while for anyone to plant it. We due nearly all the plants and only had a few to fruit and might not have done as well as if it had a better chance.

EVERBEARERS

CHAMPION (Per)—This seems to be an improvement over the Progressive. However, it does not make plants as freely as Progressive. The berry is larger. Quality is about the same. One trouble with nearly all the everbearers is the berries are too soft but they are all right for home use.

PROGRESSIVE (Per)—This is the best everbearer. It is very prolific. It has a lot of berries which are small but the flavor of the berry is better than any other berry growing. With fairly favorable weather you will get plenty of berries in the fall. In the June season the berries are small because the plant produces too many berries. For home use you should be a small because the plant produces too many berries. always plant Progressive. It is the earliest berry we ever picked in the spring. They really come earlier than Blakemore or Premier. Plant growth is good.

LOS ANGELES (Per)—This everbearer is very erratic in its bearing. Sometimes there

are a good many berries late in the season and sometimes there are not. Plant is a vigorous

grower and healthy.

MASTODON (Per)—So far this has proven to be the best everbearer. That is the berries are so much larger than the other everbearers that it makes it a better market berry. The flavor of the berry is more in accord with other varieties. Not as sweet as the Progressive. However, the size of the berry is what counts. The plant growth has always been all right with us. The foliage is healthy and a good plant maker. We are having some complaints with us. The foliage is healthy and a good plant maker. We are having some complaints from different places that the foliage is subject to leaf spot or blight. Perhaps this could be remedied by spraying with Bordeaux. Part of our fields located on some low land was effected this way. Otherwise we have never noted any disease to amount to anything on the

BERRI SUPREME (Per)—The originator of this berry made great claims for it. The plant growth is good enough and the foliage is healthy. It never has proven to be much of an everbearer with us. The berry is very large. It is a very good berry for June fruiting with us. We have had some remarkably large sized berries of this variety last year.

PRICES OF PLANTS BY EXPRESS

	25	100	250	1000	5000
Aroma	.25	\$.50	\$1.00	\$3.00	\$13.75
Beaver	.25	.50	1.00	4.00	18.50
Bellmar	.40	1.00	2.00	5.50	
Dr. Burrill	.25	.50	1.00	2.75	12.50
Blakemore	.25	.50	1.00	3.00	13.75
Cooper	.30	.60	1.15	4.00	18.00
Dunlap	.25	.50	1.00	2.75	12.50
Delicious	.30	.70	1.15	4.00	18.00
Gandy	.30	.70	1.15	4.00	18.00
Gold Mine	.30	.70	1.15	4.00	18.00
Howard No. 17	.30	.70	1.15	4.50	20.00
Klondyke	.25	.50	1.00	3.00	13.75
Premier	.30	.70	1.15	4.50	20.00
Pearl	.30	.70	1.15	4.00	18.00
World Wonder	.30	.70	1.15	4.00	18.00
Washington	.90	.70	1.15	4.50	20.00

EVERBEARERS

Champion	.65	.95	1.65	6.00	27.50
Progressive	.65	.95	1.65	6.00	27.50
Los Angeles	.65	.95	1.65	6.00	27.50
Mastodon	.75	1.00	1.90	6.00	27.50
Berri Supreme	.65	1.00	1.90	6.00	27.50
50 at 100	rates	; 500	at 1000	rates.	

Strawberry plants shipped by parcel post in 1st, 2nd and 3rd zones add to the above prices as follows:

.08 .10 .12Beyond the 3rd zone express shipments cost less on large orders. In the 4th and 5th zones double this amount given above. In the 6th zone or more add 4 times the first amount. If too much postage is sent we will add a few more plants or return balance.

BLACK RASPBERRIES

The acreage of black raspberries is decreasing and no doubt there will be a good demand for black raspberries for the next three or four years at least. Black raspberries require a black sandy loam soil. They do best on an old patch of land plowed deep and planted early. We plant in rows eight or nine feet apart and three feet apart in the row.

Varieties

Kansas—Early. Good size and thrifty canes. Pearl-Very similar to Kansas. Claimed in many places to be better.

Cumberland—This is more largely planted than all other varieties together. The berries are very large and good quality and hold their size to the end of the season.

Cardinal—A cross between the black and red raspberry. Cane is hardy and berry is fair size. Good quality to those who like it. A little too tart to suit some. Anyway it is a good acquisition to any gardener.

Columbian—Berry larger than Cardinal. Cane not as hardy. Think the quality of berry is better.

is better. Not quite so soft.

Prices of Plants by Express

	10	50	100	250	1000
Black Pearl\$.25	\$.60	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$ 8.00
Cumberland	.25	.60	1.00	2.00	8.00
Plum Farmer	.25	.60	1.00	2.00	8.00
Kansas	.25	.60	1.00	2.00	8.00
Cardinal, purple_	.40	.75	1.50	3.00	12.00
Columbian, purple	.40	.75	1.50	3.00	12.00
Yellow King	.65	1.25	2.50		
Cumberland		,			

Transplants $_{-}$.50 1.20 2.00 4.00 16.00

RED RASPBERRIES

Red raspberries are not as easily grown as black caps. The canes are not always hardy in this country. Those you take the trouble to cover the canes in the winter will get them through in good condition. The main trouble about all raspberries is in Kansas we have some late, warm, wet weather that starts the second growth. When these canes start that way they will winter kill. The big proposition in raspberries is keeping the canes growing to very late in the season.

Varieties

Latham—This is a new berry and is much larger than any other. The cane is hardier

than any other variety that has been tried so

Chief—This is a newer variety than Latham. The big advantage of Chief is the cane growth is better and makes more plants.

RED RASPBERRIES

	10	50	100	250	1000
Chief\$.70	\$2.00	\$3.75	\$8.00	\$30.00
Loudon	.25	1.25	2.00	3.50	12.50
St. Regis	.25	1.25	2.00	3.50	12.50
King	.25	1.25	2.00	3.50	12.50
Cuthbert	.25	1.25	2.00	3.50	12.50
Latham	.40	1.75	3.00	5.00	18.00

BLACKBERRIES

Perhaps Blackberries are the easiest berry to grow. However they are a little particular to grow. They just will not do well on heavy black land. They must have sandy loam and well drained. They like good soil. It is a mistake to think they will do well on any kind of poor soil as they simply won't do it. Plant in rows 9 or 10 feet apart and 3 feet apart in the row.

Perhaps the best varieties to plant in Kansas are: Early Harvest for early, Eldorado for best quality, Mercereau is the largest berry, Snyder and Blowers are the hardiest in

Prices of Plants by Express

SUCKER PLANTS

	10	50	100	250	1000
Blowers\$.25	\$.60	\$1.10	\$2.50	\$ 9.00
Early Harvest		.50	1.00	2.25	7.50
Eldorado	.25	.60	1.10	2.50	9.00
Mercereau	.25	.60	1.10	2.50	9.00
Snyder	.25	.60	1.10	2.50	9.00
Ward	.25	.60	1.10	2.50	9.00
Lawton	.25	.60	1.10	2.50	9.00
Dallas	.25	.50	1.00	2.00	7.00
McDonald	.25	.50	1.00	2.00	7.00

BLACKBERRY ROOT CUTTING PLANTS

	10	50	100	250	1000
Blowers, 1 yr\$.35	\$.75	\$1.40	\$3.00	\$11.50
Blowers, 2 yr	.60	1.25	2.25	4.75	16.00
Eldorado, 1 yr	.35	.75	1.40	3.00	11.50
Mercereau, 1 yr	.35	.75	1.40	3.00	11.50
Mercereau, 2 yr.	.60	1.25	2.50	5.00	18.00
Lawton, 1 yr	.35	.75	1.40	3.00	11.00
Early Harvest,					
1 yr	.30	.65	1.25	2.75	9.50
Early Harvest,					
2 yr	.35	.75	1.40	3.00	11.00
Snyder, 1 yr	.35	.75	1.40	3.00	11.50
Snyder, 2 yr	.60	1.25	2.50	5.00	18.00

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	10	90	TVV	200	1000
Austin, sucker plants\$	25	\$ 90	\$1.50	\$2.75	\$10.00
Lucretia, sucker	.20	Ψ ••0	Ψ1.00	ΨΔ.10	Ψ10.00
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plants _____ .25 10.00 Thornless _____ .25
Youngberry ____ 1.00 .90 2.75 12.50 1.50 2.25 4.00 7.00 22.00

All prices quoted above are by express, not

prepaid.

Wanted by parcel post 1st, 2nd and 3rd zones, add 10 cents for 10, 15 cents for 25, and 40 cents for 100. Any excess postage sent will be returned.

GRAPES

	10	25	100	1000
Agawam, Red, 1 yr.,				
No. 1\$	75	@1 KA	ek oo	\$40.00
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Beta, 1 yr., No. 1	.75	1.50	5.00	40.00
Concord, 1 yr., No. 1_	.40	.75	2.50	20.00
Concord, 2 yr., No. 1_	.50	1.25	4.00	30.00

Caco, Red, 1 yr.,			
No. 1, 25c each 2.25	4.00	15.00	
Moore's Early, 1 yr.,			
No. 175	1.50	5.00	40.00
Moore's Early, 2 yr.,			
No. 1 1.00	1.75	6.50	60.00
Moore's Diamond,			
1 yr., No. 1 1.00	1.75	6.50	60.00
Niagara, White, 1 yr.,			
No. 160	1.25	4.00	30.00
Niagara, White, 2 yr.,			
No. 175	1.50	5.00	40.00
Worden, 1 yr, No. 160	1.25	4.50	30.00
Worden, 2 yr., No. 175	1.50	5.00	40.00
Catawba, Red, 1 yr.,			
No. 160	1.25	4.50	30.00
Catawba, Red, 2 yr.,			
	1.50	5.00	40.00
Campbell's Early,			
Black, 1 yr., No. 1_ 1.75	3.00	10.00	

All above prices by express. By Parcel Post

add 1 cent per vine.

We do not charge more than enough to prepay Parcel Post or Express. You pay only actual cost of transportation.

ASPARAGUS

Varieties: Palmetto, Conover, Mammoth White, Giant, Mary Washington.

		25	100	250	1000
1	yr.	\$.25	\$.60	\$1.50	\$5.00
2	yr.	 .35	.75	1.75	6.00

All above prices by express. Asparagus plants are very heavy. If wanted by Parcel Post add to the above prices 20 cents per 25 and 40 cents per 100, 1st, 2nd and 3rd zone.

GOOSEBERRIES

Prices by Express

Corrie and Houghton, 10c each; 12 for \$1.00. Oregon Champion, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50. If wanted by parcel post add 2c each; 15c for 10.

CURRANTS

(Red), Fay's Prolific (Red), Prices by express. 15c each; Perfection White Grape. 10 for \$1.50.

If wanted by parcel post add 2c each, 15c for 10.

HORSERADISH

Prices by Express
Common, 10 for 15c; 100 for \$1.00; 1000 for \$5.00.

Maliner Kren, 10 for 20c; 100 for \$1.50; 1000 for \$6.00.

If wanted by parcel post add 5c for 10; 25c for 100.

RHUBARB

Prices by Express

Victoria & Linneaus (Seedlings). 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for 10 for \$30.00.

Linneaus (Selected), divided roots. 10c each; 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$50.00.

Johnson-Very red stalk. 25c each; 10 for \$2.00.

If wanted by parcel post add 3c each; 25c for 25.

Rhubarb for forcing, large roots, by express or freight: \$8.00 per 100.

Amoor River Privet, North. Perfectly hardy. Prices by express. 12 to 18 inch, \$1.50 per 25; \$5.00 per 100. 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50 per 25; \$12.50 per 100.

By parcel post add 30c for 25.

PEONIES

We have quite a large lot of peonies growing. The best time to plant peonies is in September or October. If your order is received too late in the spring, we will hold it until fall and fill it at the proper time. Peonies do much better when planted in the fall and we do not recommend spring planting.

PEONY BLOOMS FOR DECORATION DAY. We can furnish peony blooms for decoration day at 75c per dozen postpaid, 3 dozen for \$2.00 postpaid.

PINK VARIETIES—Rose Fragrance, Floral Treasure, L'Esperence, Dr. Bretteneau, LaPearl, Magnificia, Latipatella Rosea, Andrie Laurie, Duchess Orleans. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00. Mon Jule Eli, 60 each.

WHITE VARIETIES-Festiva Maxima, Duchess De Nemours, Queen Victoria. 30c each;

4 for \$1.00.

RED VARIETIES-Felix Crouse, Marechal Valient, Watch Am Rhein, Louis Van Houtti, Francis Ortegat. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

ROSES

Every spring roses are becoming more popular. Anyone can grow roses if you have a good soil and take moderately good care of them. However, they delight in a clay soil. They do not do so well in a sandy soil. With proper fertilization they will do fairly well in any kind of soil. Bone meal is one of the best commercial fertilizers. Work it well deep in the soil because roses root deeply.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

American Beauty (red), Gen. Jacqueminot (red), Prince Camilde Rhoan (red), Paul Neyron (very large, pink), Frau Karl Drouschki (white). Prices: 30c each postpaid, 5 for \$1 postpaid.

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

These are everblooming and bloom all the time, even during the hottest weather.

Gruss An Teplitz (red), Red Radiance, K. A. Victoria (white), Pink Radiance, Columbia (pink), Los Angeles (golden pink), Lady Hillingdon (yellow), Souv. de Claudius Pernet (yellow), Souv. de Georges Pernet (dark pink), Talisman (golden), Golden Ophelia (yellow), Ophelia (creamy-white), Mme. Edouard Herriott (coral-red), Pres. Herbert Hoover (medium orange), Luxenburg (copper yellow), Sunburst (copper-orange), Mrs. Chas. Bell (shell radiance), Francis Scott Key (red), LaFrance (pink). Prices: 30c each postpaid, 5 for \$1 postpaid.

CLIMBING ROSES

Crimson Rambler (red), Climbing American Beauty (red), Seven Sisters (pink), Thousand Beauties (pink), Dr. Van Fleet (pink), Silver Moon (white).

All roses are two years old and well grown. Prices: 30c each postpaid, 5 for \$1.10 postpaid.

IRIS

BERLIN BLUE-8 cents each, 20 for \$1.00.

All the following varieties at 15 cents each or 12 for \$1.00.

LORELEY (yellow), PAULINE (lilac pink), BEETHOVEN (bright blue), CELESTE (azure blue), CHARLES DICKENS (dark blue), NIBELUNGEN (comb. colors), PRES. SHIERS, LALEREDERESSE, RELUCCA, DON MARIA, LEOPOLD.

All the above at these prices: 15 cents each, 12 for \$1.00. By parcel post add 3 cents each, 10 cents for 12.

CANNAS

Cannas are becoming very popular for both foliage and bloom.

PINK VARIETIES

Shenandoah, City of Portland, Hungaria, Susquehanna, Alfred Conard. Prices: 10c each, 12 for \$1.00.

RED AND YELLOW VARIETIES

Crimson Bedder (red), Dwarf Vaughn (red), Florence Vaughn (speckled red or yellow),

President (best red), King Humbert (red with dark foliage), Wintzers Colossal (scarlet bloom),

Louisiana (orange), Allemania (yellow), Austria (yellow), Richard Wallace (yellow).

Prices: Sc oach 25 for \$1.00 Prices: 8c each, 25 for \$1.00.

Pres. Cornot (bronze foliage), Giant Bronze. These two varieties recommended for foliage only. Prices: 10c each, 25 for \$1.00.

WHITE VARIETY

Eureka. Price: 10c each, 12 for \$1.00.

CLIMBERS

Perhaps climbing vines give more satisfaction than any other kind of shrubbery.

HALL'S JAPAN HONEYSUCKLE—(Evergreen.) 25c each.

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CLEMATIS PANICULATA—Most satisfactory climber. 2 yr., 35c each.
CLEMATIS JACKMANI—(Purple), 65c each.
CLEMATIS HENRYI—(Large white), 65c each.
AMERICAN IVY, ENGLISH IVY, BOSTON IVY—30c each.
BITTERSWEET—30c each.
WISTERIA—(Purple and White). 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.
ARISTOLOCHIA TOMEMOSIA—(Dutchman's Pipe.) 25c each.
If shipped by parcel post add to the above prices 2c each.

BERMUDA ONION PLANTS

PRICES, prepaid: YELLOW AND CRYSTAL WAX. 300 for 50c; 500 - 75c; 1000 - \$1.25. Crate, 6000 for \$6.00 by Express. All crate lots shipped direct from the grower.

FROST PROOF CABBAGE PLANTS

Varieties we can furnish: Wakefield, Copenhagen Market, Charleston, Allhead, Succession. Price: 50c per hundred; 95c for 200; \$1.50 for 500, all postpaid, or \$2.00 per thousand, not prepaid. These plants are ready any time after the first of February.

TOMATO PLANTS

Livingston, Mayglobe, Red Head, New Stone and June Pink. Prices: 40 cents per 100, 75c per 200, \$1.25 per 500, \$3.00 per 1000. All postage prepaid. SWEET PEPPERS—50 cents per 100, 75c per 200, \$1.50 per 500, \$3.00 per 1000. Postpaid.

DAHLIAS

Dahlias are becoming more and more popular every year. The past season during July and part of August was entirely too hot and dry. But after the rains begun they came out beautifully. They did not make as large bulbs as usual. Anyway dahlias are a very attractive flower. We usually have several acres blooming in the fall and invite everyone to come see our dahlias in September.

Lyndhurst (red), Delighted (white), Dreer's White, A. D'Livoni (shell pink), Gustave De Doazen (very large red), Cuban Giant (bright red, very large), Darkest of All (very dark red), Madam Salbach (large pink), Golden West (yellow), Yellow King, Golden Eagle, Mrs. Harlang (a beautiful lavender), Katherine Dawes (red), Mina Burgle (red), Chas. Turner (red), Yellow Duke. Prices 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

Delice (pink), Capt. File (very large pink), Sylvia (pink), Pearl De Lyon (white), Robert Brownfield (white), Mary Pickford (white), California (yellow), Queen Victoria (yellow).

Prices 20c each, 2 for 35c, 6 for \$1.00. MIXED DAHLIAS, 25 for \$1.00.

TUBER ROSE. Long ceach; 3 for 25c; 12 for 70c. Long compact spikes of waxy white flowers exquisitely perfumed.

REMEMBER WE GROW OUR STOCK.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CUSTOMERS

When Writing. Please sign name plainly. Be sure to give your postoffice, county and state. All orders are acknowledged on receipt of same. If you do not hear from us promptly

Terms. Cash with order or one-fourth cash. Balance before shipment, or C.O.D.

References. As to our reliability we refer you to the Kansas State Bank of Holton, postmaster, or our express agent.

Large Orders. Following discounts will be made from catalog price on large orders; orders

over \$30, 5 per cent discount; orders over \$100, 10 per cent discount.

How to Send Money. By check, bank draft, express money order, postoffice money order

or registered letter.

Complaints. Regard to shortage or error must be made within ten days after stock is received and we are glad to make good all our mistakes. If stock should accidently prove untrue to name, we will replace same free of charge. We are liable for not more than the cost price of plants.

Claims to the Express Company. If stock arrives in poor condition have your express agent note same on express bill so we can make claim to the express company. We guarantee

all stock to reach you in good condition by parcel post or express.

Substitution. We do not substitute without permission, unless orders received late in season, we substitute with a similar variety.

Order Early. The earlier the better; this helps us and helps you. If not prepared to send all the money with the order, send part and balance before shipment.

Method of Shipment. Express is probably the best, all things considered. We ship all

plants by express or parcel post unless otherwise instructed.

Ship by Truck. Truck service is getting such that shipments can be handled that way for less money and can make as quick time as express. As yet the average receiver does not know how shipments can be made. If you think you can save time and money, talk to your nearest

truck man and we will send the plants by truck.

Parcel Post. Practically all small orders can be shipped by parcel post and it is the cheapest way for all points in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd zones. We are located almost in the center of the United States and can give better parcel post service than any other plant grower in America. As a rule it is better and cheaper to ship by express to all points beyond the 3rd zone.

Packing. We make no charges for packing, which is done in the best possible manner. We

use light crates for express shipments and use safe pack paper for all small orders, using plenty of damp moss.

Labeling. Every bunch is labeled. Sometimes we run out of labels and in that case the

varieties are carefully separated in the package and labeled.

Shipping Season. We generally commence shipping plants by the first of March, but some seasons are later than others. Our shipping season continues until May 25th.

Our Guaranty. We are very careful in growing, labeling and packing plants. Mistakes seldom occur. We guarantee our plants to be true to name and free from insect diseases. Will not be responsible for more than the price of the plants. All claims for loss must be made at

once on receipt of plants.

Substitution. We have a large stock of plants and it is not likely we will need to substitute. We do not substitute early in the season. But sometimes when an order comes in late in the season and we are out of some variety we substitute some similar variety unless expressly ordered not to do so. In all cases our customers' interests are first. If any cus-

tomer is dissatisfied about anything we want to hear from his promptly.

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LaFrance Fruit & Plant Farms

HOLTON, KANSAS

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IF YOU RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE PRICE LIST, HAND IT TO A FRIEND.

Send us the names of a few friends and get some plants free.

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This is to certify that in accordance with section 2-703 of the Revised Statutes of Kansas, 1923, the nursery stock now growing for sale by LaFrance Fruit and Plant Farm of Holton, has been inspected by a duly authorized inspector, and found apparently free from dangerously injurious insects or plant diseases. Invalid after June 1, 1933.

(Seal) GEO. A. DEAN, State Entomologist.

The Gossip Printery, Holton, Kansas

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